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NEGRO WELFARE LEAGUE
of
NEW JERSEY

September 20, 1917

The regular meeting of the Friendly
Visitors Committee was held on September 20, 1917
at 248 Mulberry Street at 8 P. M.

Present:

Report of Food Conservation Committee

Miss Conley reported that she had been active
in gathering material for demonstration.

Mr. Ashby reported that he had arranged for
two meetings, the first to be held at Rev. Redd's
church, Sussex Ave., on Monday, September 24, and
at Rev. John's Church on Academy Street on Monday
October 1, 1917.

Miss Conley will mail recipe for making "
"corn Chowder" and Miss Stratton will make carbon
copies of same to give to ladies at demonstration.

Money was to be given by League for the
purchasing of food stuffs and an attempt made at the
demonstration to get it back by voluntary contribu-
tions.

Mrs. Richardson reported on the case of
Mrs. Dixon, who was very sick with tuberculosis and whose
husband would not aid her. She tried to get the lady
in Verona, but they would not take her there because
colored, but after many attempts, she got her in Glen
Garden Sanatorium. Lady was sent Monday and has reach-
ed there alright.

Mrs. Shaw's case was reported by Mrs. Richard-
son. She is in bad circumstances again. Husband
has gone to Trenton to work. Children are sick with

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colds. She reports that she is going to get the children in night school.

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Partial Report of the Money
expended on the Negroes of the City
which the Welfare League was
instrumental in getting.

| City | Bureau | Negro Welfare League. |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| \$20.00 | \$25.00 | \$40.50 |
| 15.00 | 56.00 | |
| 25.00 | 1.00 | |
| 33.00 | 10.00 | |
| <u>93.00</u> | 1.97 | |
| | 8.55 | |
| | <u>1.17</u> | |
| | 101.69 | |
| | Total \$235.18 | |
| | <u>43.22</u> | |
| | \$ 278.41 | |

Most of the money was for sending families home
who had homes in the south to go to and who had become
sick here on account of the cold climate.